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Princess Dayna Plummer

Dayna Plummer is the daughter of Donna and Greg Plummer. Her siblings are Amanda Plummer and Gregory Plummer Jr. of Warrenton.

She attends Warrenton High School and will be a Senior this year. She holds an accumulative GPA of 3.21 and is ranked ninth out of her class. She is the editor of the yearbook.

In the past Dayna has been involved in Quiz Bowl, Girl's League, Choir, oil painting classes, Oregon Student Safety On the Move, Upward Bound, Pipeline Instructor for Kindergartners to Say No to Drugs, Jr.

Camp Counselor at Camp Kiwanilong, volunteer work for Shanghaied in Astoria, face painting for the Cub Scouts, Students Against Drunk Driving, Bible Club, member of the First Baptist Church of Warrenton and Ambassador at the HOBY Youth Leadership Seminar.

She has won awards for Student of Merit for Visual Arts, Medal of Achievement in the Arts and Yearbook, watercolor and calligraphy, as well as student of the Month Awards for citizenship and encouragement. She is also listed in the Who's Who Among America High School Students.

Dayna is very interested in theater arts and art and plans to attend Southern Oregon college. She's involved in the WHS Drama Class and the local Arts on Stage.

"I remember being Little Miss Liberty in 1988. I'd always hoped I'd be back on a float waving to all the people. I was determined, probably because I'm a ham and I love the crowd.

"My mother was a Regatta Princess in 1980 and after I saw
See Dayna, Page 12

Laura Emily Johnson is a senior at Astoria High School. She is the daughter of Kevin and Judy Johnson. She has a sister, Kayla, and a brother, Brad. Laura is a Varsity Cheerleader and active on the track team as a sprinter and relay teams. She was Cheerleading Captain for the football season last year. She participated on the Dance Team her freshman year. She is a member of the yearbook staff and a member of the business club.

Laura has been a Hospice volunteer as well as a Hospital Foundation Volunteer working on the New Year's Eve dance sponsored for the High School Students of Clatsop County. She volunteered as an outdoor school counselor last year, supervising children from Astor school. Laura enjoys her job at Coast Rehabilitation where she works as an office assistant.

Laura's honors and awards include the following. She was voted Most Valuable cheerleader for the fall season in 1997 and received a scholar athlete award. She has also received academic achievement awards for 1995, '96 and '97. She has been on the honor roll since entering high school and had a 4.0 GPA last term. She was inducted into the National Honor Society last April.

Laura plans to attend Western Oregon University. She hopes to pursue a career in nursing, following her parents, or her first love, which would be teaching elementary school.

"Wow! This has been an incredible experience. I remember, as a little girl, participating in the Junior Regatta Parade. I had the honor of being the flower girl for the Regatta Court in 1986 and 1988. I looked up to the Princesses with such admiration. I knew then I would love being a Regatta Princess. And I have! I would like to thank the Regatta Association,

See Laura, Page 14

Princess Laura Johnson



Princess JoLee Sturgell

JoLee Ann Sturgell will be a senior at Warrenton High School. She is the daughter of Dennis and Jody Sturgell, both of Warrenton. She also has three brothers Dennis Jr., Donny, and Daniel, and a niece, Riley.

She was the president of her Sophomore and Junior class. She is secretary of the National Honor Society and a member of Girl's League. She has also participated in band, drama, and Key Club. Through her clubs she has participated in many community service activities.

Sturgell also participates in sports where she has been a three year varsity starter in volleyball and a two year letterman in basketball and

softball. In softball she was named most valuable player of her team both years. She was chosen as a first team all league player, as a Utility in '97 and this year as an all league infielder, and named to honorable mention all-state. She attends the Warrenton Church of the Nazarene where she is a member of the youth group and has helped with children's church and in the nursery. She works as a deckhand on Ron Lethin's charter boat the "Surf Scooter." In her free time she enjoys outdoor life, hunting, wakeboarding and jet-skiing.

"What to say about Regatta except for, 'overwhelming.' It's been a hundred times more exciting that I ever imagined it would be." Said Sturgell "All of the people of the Regatta Association are wonderful, they really do set out to make you feel like royalty. Chuck did a wonderful job on the float this year, I have received numerous compliments on how beautiful it is.

"Kim "D" and Larry "D" are more than spectacular. They are like a second set of parents, always there for me when I need them even if it's outside of the Regatta schedule. What I say to
See JoLee, Page 7

Kelsey Jean Hertig is a senior at Seaside High School and the daughter of Kevin & Katie Hertig of Warrenton. She has one younger brother, Karl.

Hertig is involved with numerous school activities including Key club, Oregon Student Safety on the Move, and National Honor Society. She has been a representative of the Associated Student Body Council, Junior Class Treasurer and ASB Communications Director. Hertig has also enjoyed being on the yearbook staff for four years and managing editor for the last two. She was awarded the Hugh O'Brien Youth foundation Leadership Scholarship her sophomore year and also served as a Student Delegate at the 1997 Junior Science & Humanities Symposia at Oregon State University. Hertig has earned recognition as an Outstanding Student in Geometry, Social Sciences and Chemistry, Scholar Athlete, Academic Letter Award and High Honor Roll for the past three years.

She has participated in volleyball, basketball, and golf, earning Coach's Award honors in volleyball, Most Valuable Player in Freshman basketball, and varsity letterman three years in golf. Hertig earned All-League honors in '97 and '98 for golf and her Seaside team placed second in the OSAA 3A/2A/1A tournament this year. In addition Hertig is the 1997-98 Junior Club Champion at Astoria Golf & Country Club.

Hertig is actively involved in her community. She is Co-Chair of the statewide program Kids Making Miracles for Doernbecher Children's Hospital. She has been a volunteer reader with the S.M.A.R.T. program at Seaside Heights Elementary for the past two years. Hertig has used her training in the Spanish language to aide at Broadway Middle School, teaching the students Spanish as well as tutoring English
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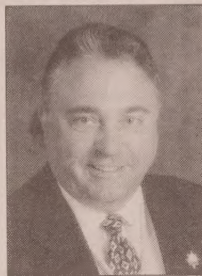
Princess Kelsey Hertig



1998 Regatta Button

This year's button was based on a design by Israel Jurich of Knappa High School. Jurich's design has also been used on Regatta posters and brochures. Buttons are available from area merchants for \$4. They can also be purchased at Regatta Square for \$5, and they provide admission to the Square.

WELCOME FROM PRESIDENT DICK GARNER



Hello and welcome to the 1998 Regatta. It's hard to imagine that, for 104 years, someone has been welcoming the public to the Regatta Festival, the oldest celebration on the West Coast.

Just as last year, the festival is being held on Pier Two at the port docks. The Regatta was originally conceived as a waterfront activity, and it still is.

This year, you will be able to tour a working fishing vessel, the oil spill cleanup ship *Oregon Responder*, and military naval shops. You can watch sailboat races, dragon boat races, and take a one-hour ride on the environmental ship *Captain Conner* or Tiki Charter's *Shamrock*.

Each day you will be able to enjoy live music from the time the Square opens until it closes, as well as helping yourself to food of all kinds. You can also check out the 60+ vendor booths. As always, we will have a Beer Garden and a Pirate's Den. This year, the Pirate's Den will be run by Chinook Winds Casino and Resort.

Fireworks will be fun to watch as they explode over the river in a multitude of colors at 10 p.m. Saturday night, August 8, 1998.

A carnival for family fun will

be just outside Regatta Square on Pier Two. You will also be able to take a helicopter ride if you would like to see the scenic wonders of our area from the air.

Don't miss the Regatta Square Car Show on Saturday from 2 p.m. to 6 p.m. See 150 beautifully restored cars right on Pier Two. If you want to see more cars, the Clatsop County Fairgrounds will have a car show as well.

If softball is your sport, see over 60 teams compete in the Regatta Softball Tournament.

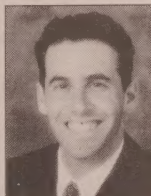
All in all, I think everyone in your family could find a way to have a great weekend in Astoria. From the entire Astoria Regatta Association, Welcome and Have Fun!

Richard Garner, President
Astoria Regatta Association.

Court escort and chaperone

Court escort Larry Popkin graduated with honors from Portland State University in 1993. He holds a degree in finance law. In 1994, Popkin and his uncle, Lee Spangler of Astoria, started AREA Properties, a real estate company in Astoria. He serves as the business manager and associate broker for the company.

Popkin has spearheaded the Area and Beyond Leisure Ride event for the community the last several years. He enjoys sports and traveling to Portland for the theater and social outings.



Larry Popkin

Court chaperone Kim Supple is an Astoria High School graduate and was Miss Scandinavia in 1996. She and her husband Dan are longtime residents of the Astoria area. They have a nine year old son Joseph.

Kim's hobbies include running, painting and reading. She is active with the local chapter of the Philanthropic Education Organization, a scholarship funding association for women. She is also a volunteer for Start Making a Reader Today (SMART).



Kim Supple

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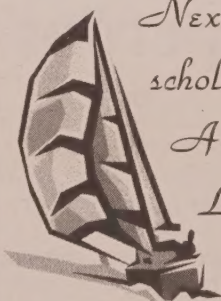
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Admiral's Scholarship, Queen's Luncheon

A scholarship luncheon will take place Friday, August 7, at 11:45 in the Chinook Room of the Red Lion Inn. The luncheon honors this year's Regatta Admiral, Thane Tienson, and the newly crowned 1998 Regatta Queen. The luncheon assists in raising money for the Astoria Regatta Court Scholarship Fund and tickets cost \$15.00.



Next year, each princess will receive scholarships both from the Astoria Regatta Association and the Endowment Fund. Luncheon reservations can be made by calling Dan at 325-5139.

1998 Regatta Admiral Tienson heads festival

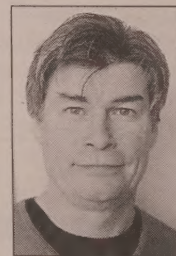
The 1998 Regatta Festival Association chose Thane Tienson of Portland as Admiral and Thomas Landye of Portland as Admiral's Aide.

Tienson is a partner in the Portland law firm of Copeland Landye Bennett and Wolf. He is a lawyer in private practice specializing

in the area of civil litigation with an emphasis on environmental law. He is a board member of the Friends of Astoria Column, a trustee of the Oregon College of Arts and Crafts and president and founding board member of the Clean Water Fund of the Columbia River Basin. His mother lives in Astoria.

Landye also is a partner at Copeland Landye Bennett and Wolf.

For 20 years he co-owned the fishing vessel, The Eldan. He is president and trustee of the University Club Foundation Inc., which provides annual scholarships to graduate candidates at Oregon Health Sciences University, the University of Oregon, Oregon State University and Portland State University. He also served as a member of the Friends of Astoria Column committee.



Thane Tienson

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This year's Admiral's Ball honors Thane Tienison, 1998 Regatta Admiral. The ball takes place Friday, August 7, in the Chinook Room at the Red Lion Inn and begins with cocktails at 6 p.m. A dance starts at approximately 9 p.m. with music provided by Have Music Will Travel. Reservations are available from Dan Arnoth at 325-5139.



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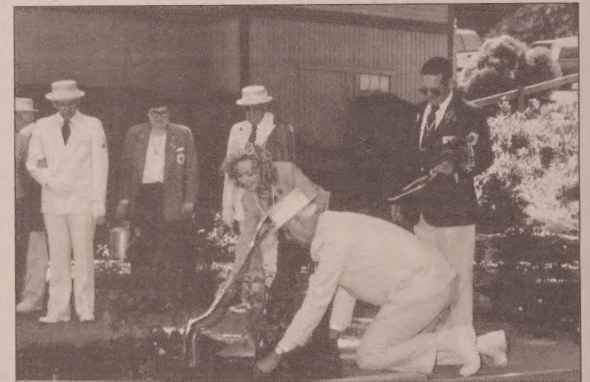
One of the most special events during Regatta week is the Rose Planting Ceremony.

This year, it will take place Friday, August 7, at 2:30 p.m. in the rose garden of the Historical Flavel House Museum on 8th and Duane. The Portland Royal Rosarians, led by Prime Minister Hideaki R. Aizawa, will conduct the Rose Planting Ceremony and will assist 1998 Regatta President Dick Garner and the 1998 Queen in planting roses.

1991 and 1994 President Les McNary will serve as master of ceremonies. Members of the Clatsop County Historical Society will serve refreshments at the conclusion of the ceremony.



Above and below: Portland Royal Rosarians assist 1997 Queen Chase in planting a new rose bush in annual ceremony at Flavel House. Photos courtesy of Chuck Savage, Savage Enterprises



Princesses introduced at tea

The 1998 Astoria Regatta princesses were in fine form when they were introduced at the annual Astoria Regatta Tea.

The event was held at the Officer's Inn Bed and Breakfast, 540 Russell Place, in Hammond. The public was invited to attend.

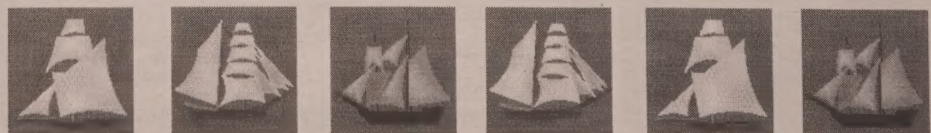
1997's Queen Carole Chase, and Regatta President Dick Garner made the introductions.

This year's princesses are Kelsy Hertig of Seaside; Laura Johnson of Astoria and Dayna Plummer and JoLee Sturgell, both of Warrenton. Chaperone Kim Supple and Escort Larry Popkin were also introduced.



1998 Court at Regatta Tea at Officer's Inn in Hammond

Photo courtesy of Chuck Savage, Savage Enterprises



Regatta-related classes offered to youth for educational and fun opportunities

The City of Astoria Parks and Recreation Office is offering these classes during the weeks surrounding Regatta to offer educational and fun opportunities for the area youth. All registration for these classes is taken at the Parks and Recreation offices which are located on the 2nd floor of City Hall, 1095 Duane Street, 8am - 12 noon and 1pm - 5pm Monday through Friday.



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Age: 10-12
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Location: Columbia River Maritime Museum
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Instructor: Walt McManis
Fee: \$8.00
Class Size: Min 6/Max 12



NETMAKING

Learn to make cool stuff like hammocks using techniques that fishermen have used on the river for a hundred years.

Date: Tue/Wed, Aug 4 & 5
Time: 12:30-2:30pm
Age: 8-80 years
Location: Columbia River Maritime Museum
1792 Marine Dr
Instructor: Georgia Maki
Fee: \$7.00
Class Size: Min 6/Max 10



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Date: Mon./Tues, Aug, 10 & 11
Time: 10am - Noon
Age: 9 years and up
Location: Columbia River Maritime Museum
1792 Marine Drive
Instructor: Walt McManis
Fee: \$8.00
Class Size: Min 5/Max 10



SIGNAL FLAGS

Learn to send secret messages with maritime flags.

Date: Wednesday, Aug. 5
Time: 10:00am - Noon
Age: 9-12 years
Location: Columbia River Maritime Museum
1792 Marine Drive
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Instructor:
Fee: \$5.00
Class Size: Min 4/Max 12



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Date: Wednesday, Aug 5
Time: 3:00 - 4:00pm
Age: 10 & Up
Location: Columbia River Maritime Museum
1792 Marine Drive
CRMM Staff
Instructor:
Fee: \$5.00
Class Size: Min 4/Max 30

Regatta Princesses travel, speak and learn

The 1998 Regatta Court Princesses will be seniors at their respective high schools next year.

These young women have served as outstanding ambassadors for the Regatta Association as they have participated in parades in Tacoma, Puyallup, Portland, Warrenton, Tillamook, Seaside, and Olympia.

In addition, they have made presentations to many civic groups, sharing their research on topics related to our area's history and heritage.

Coordinating this year's Court activities are co-chairs Karen Martens and Helen Sorkki. The wardrobe committee is Irene Baltimore and Shawn Hope.

JoLee

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the other girls is, 'Thank you, you've all been like sisters to me, something I have never had before and it's been an awesome experience.' I will

never forget my year as a Regatta Princess, it's something that will remain important to me for many years to come.

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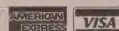
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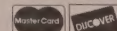
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This year's Grand Land Parade begins at noon Saturday by the Moose Lodge on 14th Street and winds through downtown Astoria toward Regatta Square. Featured in this year's parade will be the Get a Life Band from Portland. This band was started the summer of 1993 as a joke. 90% of its members are from the One More Time Around Band. They are an "over the hill" band that just wants to have fun; their motto is "we eat better, then we play." Another motto is "don't call us late for dinner"! This band performs in 8 to 10 two-mile parades a year, as well as other events.

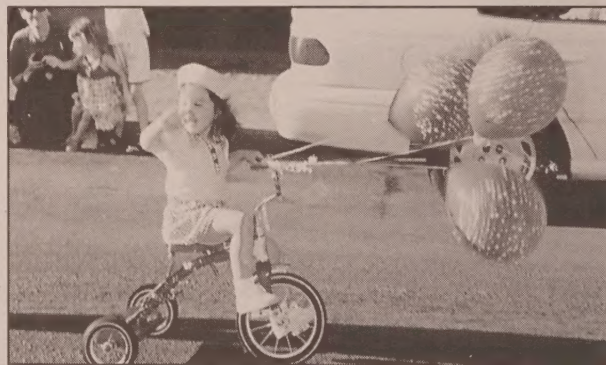


Above: The Regatta Court travels along Broadway in Seaside



Above: A young boy rides along in his tractor
Right: Being led by balloons, a girl waves to the crowd
Photos courtesy of Chuck Savage, Savage Enterprises

This year's Kiwanis Junior Regatta Parade will be Thursday, August 6th, beginning at 6:30 p.m. at the US Bank parking lot, 987 Duane Street. The parade is free and anyone is welcome to participate. You can walk, ride a bike, pull a wagon or ride in a pedicab wearing your favorite costume. This is a non-motorized vehicle event. At the end of the parade, the Kiwanis will provide treats for the participants.



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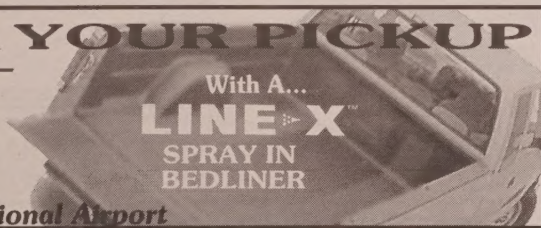
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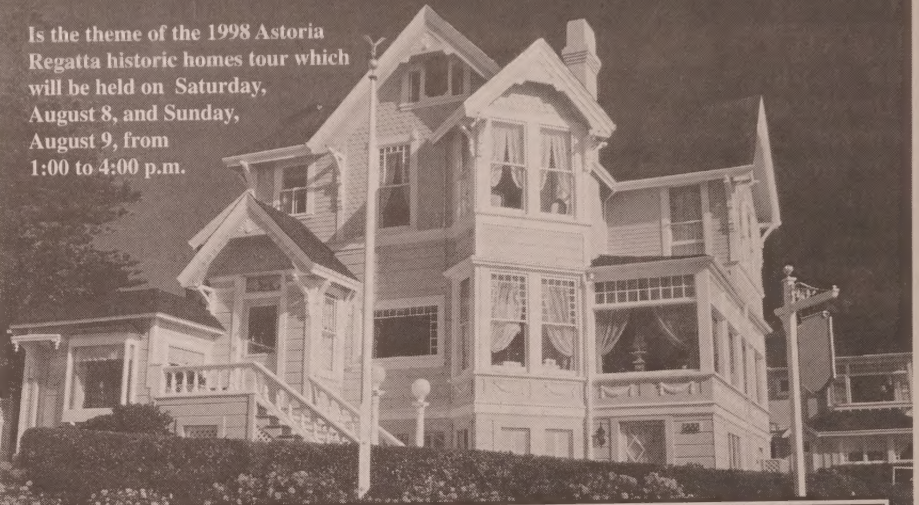


FIREWORKS

This year's fireworks display will take place off Regatta Square and will begin at 10 p.m. on Saturday, August 8th shortly after the Twilight Boat Parade. Thanks to Bergerson Equipment for their donation of a barge for this event.

Getting Down to Business: Victorian Homes of Astoria

Is the theme of the 1998 Astoria Regatta historic homes tour which will be held on Saturday, August 8, and Sunday, August 9, from 1:00 to 4:00 p.m.



Tickets for the self-guided tour will be on sale at two museums of Clatsop County Historical Society on the days of the tour. The museums are: Heritage Museum, 1618 Exchange and Flavel House, 441 8th. The \$7.50 ticket package includes admission for all six houses plus an illustrated program with a brief history of each house. Children under 12 with adults are free.

The six houses, all in central Astoria, relate to the theme *Getting Down to Business* because they all are Victorian homes now used for businesses. They include a Bed & Breakfast (in a house built circa 1885), an artist's studio (1879); a print shop (circa 1895); a community radio station KMUN (1894); and a bakery (1891). In most cases, the owners live upstairs, and coming downstairs means *business*.

All the owners are friends of historic preservation and are pleased to share their homes with the public for the benefit of the historical society which will use the proceeds to continue to improve the museums.

For additional information, call Martha, Mark or Rae at Clatsop County Historical Society, 503-325-2203.



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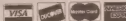
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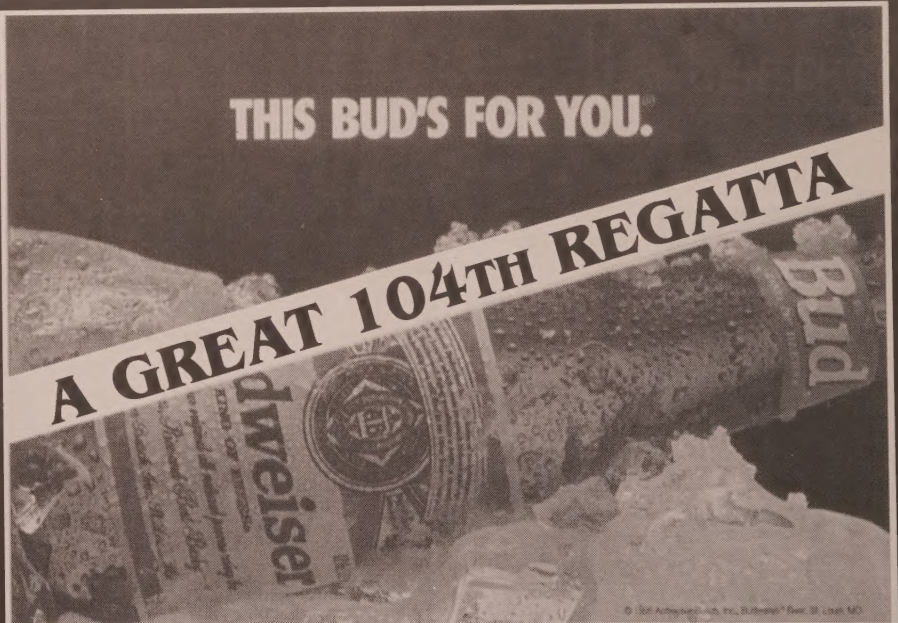
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Dragon Boat Races

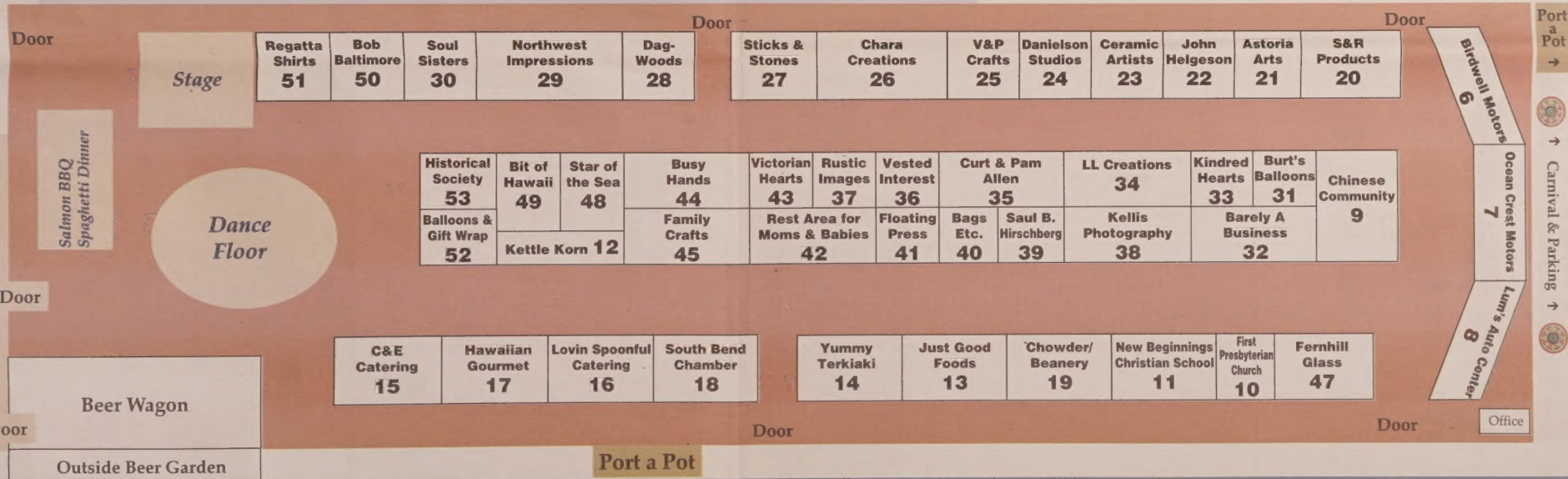
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Barbeque and Bingo abound at Regatta Festival

Salmon Barbeque

This year's delicious Salmon Barbeque will take place at Regatta Square from 3 p.m. to 7 p.m. – or until the salmon runs out. The Astoria Lions Club will provide their famous salmon, and the dinner will include a baked potato, salad, French bread, and ice cream. Barbequed and fresh Willapa Bay oysters will also be available. The cost is \$6.00.

Special thanks go to Foss Maritime Company, Pacific Power, Columbia Produce, Pig 'N Pancake, McDonald's and many volunteers.

Sunday Bingo

Bingo will be available from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. Sunday at Regatta Square. Join caller Chuck Godwin for lots of fun.

Spaghetti Feed

A spaghetti feed will be held on Sunday, August 9th from 1:00 to 4:00 p.m. at Regatta Square. Cost is \$5.00 per person, \$3.00 for children. Dinner includes spaghetti, salad and garlic bread. Proceeds support the Viking Nordic Dance Group of Astoria who just returned from performing in Disneyland and Solvang, California.

Dayna

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pictures of her I wanted to be a princess too. She told me so many stories about how much fun she had as a Regatta Princess. Now here I am following in her footsteps and having the time of my life.

"When I was asked what I hoped to get out of Regatta, I said I wanted to meet new people, travel, make new friends and improve some very lacking public speaking skills. I have achieved that and so much more.

"The experience of representing Warrenton and being a princess has been worth every minute!!

"I want to thank the other princesses Kelsey, JoLee and Laura for befriending me. I had a lot of fun with you guys! My favorite

event was the NAVY ship! You gotta love those officers in the white outfits!

"The Star Light Parade in Portland was also a lot of fun – we got our 15 seconds of fame on T.V.! I personally had the most fun dancing at the midsummer festival. I will remember this year forever. Who could forget dancing to the Titanic dance re-mix of 'My Heart Will Go On!'"

"A big THANK YOU to everyone involved in Regatta!

"Thanks to Regatta for the scholarship and clothes. Thanks to Anderson Jewelry for the beautiful jewelry. Thank you to Chuck and Frannie for all they did to help us on the float and making sure we were okay after our turn in the dunk tank.

"Sometimes getting up at 4:00 a.m. seems insane, but

Larry Popkin and Kim Supple make it fun. Your encouragement and singing has helped me a lot. I don't know what I'd do without their sense of humor, wit, and smiles.

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"Thank you to Dick Garner our President for helping me to understand a bond issue and make my speech interesting. Thank you to Eric Paulson for driving us around, and letting us use his motor home!

"A special thank you to Jo Lee Struggell and other drivers who were kind enough to give me a ride to all our events. Thanks for putting up with me, you guys are great!"

We hope you have a great time at the Astoria Regatta Festival – see you again next year!

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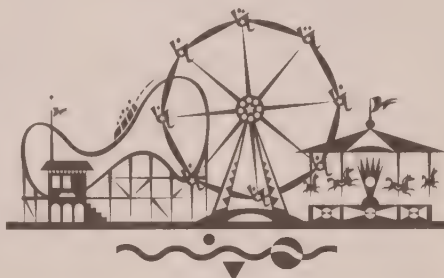
Cruise-In, Carnival and Beer Garden – this year's Regatta Festival offers something for everyone

Regatta Square Activities

There are many activities and events taking place at Regatta Square. They include a huge Classic Car Show, a carnival, maritime ships, a large indoor Arts and Crafts exhibition, helicopter and boat rides, a salmon barbeque, dancing, beer garden and other activities. Various musical groups will provide entertainment Friday evening through Sunday. Sunday afternoon, Bingo will be provided. In addition, there will be three yacht races, a Twilight Boat Parade, dragon boat races on Sunday and fireworks on Saturday.

Cruise-In

A Classic Car Show will take place Saturday, August 8th, at Regatta Square. Registration takes place in the morning, and the cars will be on display from 2 p.m. until 6 p.m. Awards will be presented at 6 p.m. Van Kennel of Have Music Will Travel will be spinning your oldies and goodies of the 50's to bring back the happy times of cars and fun.



Carnival

This year's carnival is provided by Randy's Funland. Carnival hours are 10 a.m. to midnight Friday, August 7th; noon to 1 a.m. Saturday, August 8th; and noon to 4 p.m. Sunday, August 9th.

Beer Garden and Pirate's Den

Friday and Saturday evening the Beer Garden and Pirate's Den will be open until 1 a.m. for adult fun.

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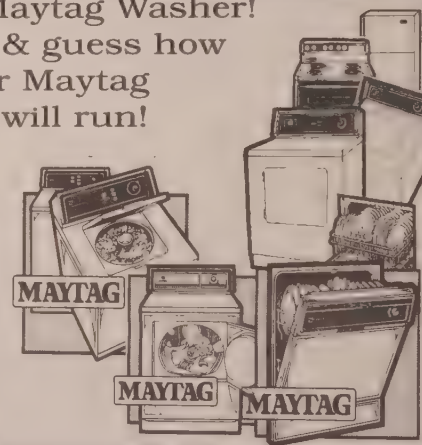
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Laura

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with all my heart, for this opportunity. The generosity has been overwhelming from the wardrobe and the scholarship to the experiences I have had. I loved having the privilege of traveling to other cities to represent Astoria. I have met new people, seen new places and

traveled on a Navy ship! I also want to say I have three new friends, Jo Lee, Dayna and Kelsey. I want to thank all the other members of the Court Committee who have made this a special experience; Kim, Larry, Karen, Helen, Eric, Dick, and Chuck."

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1998 Miss Oregon performs at Queen's coronation

"Florentine Classic" is coronation theme

The 1998 Regatta Queen will be crowned in a ceremony at the Astoria Elks Lodge Ballroom, 453 11th Street, Wednesday, August 5 at 7:30 p.m. The coronation theme is "Florentine Classic."

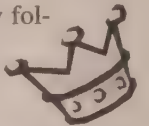
Entertainment will be provided by 1998 Miss Oregon, Jennifer Sisco-Moore and Paul Wai-

namo. Karrie Lyn Renfrow, a former Regatta princess and 1998 Miss Linn County, will ask questions of this year's princesses, who will be escorted by previous Regatta presidents.

Les McNary, Regatta President in 1991 and 1994, will serve as master of ceremonies. Music will be provided by Al

Anderson, and Mick and Rhonda Alderman will oversee lighting and sound.

Admission to the coronation is by Regatta Button, which will be available at the door. A reception will be held immediately following the ceremony.



Coronation of 1997 Queen Carole Chase by Admiral Bob Bishop.

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ENTERTAINMENT

A variety of musical groups will be performing throughout the weekend. They include:

Friday:	5:30 - 8:30 9:00 - 1 a.m.	Oregon Bound Thunder Road
Saturday:	12:00 - 1:30 1:30 - 3:30 3:30 - 6:30 7:00 - 10:00 10:30 - 1 a.m.	Chuck & Theda Get a Life Brownsmead Flats Thunder Road Bond Street Blues
Sunday:	noon - 2:00 2:00 - 4:00	Sonja & Kelly North Coast Big Band

Performing again this year at the Astoria Regatta's Beer Garden will be *Thunder Road*, the North Coast's premier dance band. The group's potent, high-energy blend of rock, soul, and blues has filled dance floors for the past 14 years.

Members include featured vocalist Ron Baldwin, master Hammond B-3 keyboard player Terry Duoos, drummer Kurt Harbaugh, plus original members Niall Carroll on lead guitar and vocals, Bill Tynkila on bass guitar and vocalist Nancy Tynkila.

Oregon Bound is a local band that has been entertaining audiences in the United States and across Canada for the past 26 years. The band is comprised of 8 members and plays a variety of music with some emphasis on old time rock-n-roll. *Oregon Bound* provides a familiar sound for all to enjoy and dance to.

Members of the band include Sandi Raihala/bass and vocals, Teresa Raihala/flute-saxophone and vocals, Kathleen Strecker/saxophone-piano and vocals, Greg Alfaro/drums, Mike Thompson/guitar, a horn section composed of Matti Raihala/saxophone, Tom Strecker/trumpet, and additional vocals by Marcie Attig.



Julie Spath



From Left to right: Terry, Bill, Nancy, Niall, Ron and Kurt

Knappa student's design chosen as the 1998 Regatta logo

Knappa High School student Israel Jurich won the 1998 Regatta Theme Logo prize.

Jurich received \$100 from the Regatta celebration for creating the award winning design, according to Regatta President Dick Garner. Open to all art students in area schools, the contest is the first time that the Regatta has sought logo art from students.



Jurich maintains a 4.0 GPA and plays football for his school.

Garner said the contest drew more than 30 entries on the theme of "Water Fantasy." Jurich's artwork is used in the 1998 Regatta lapel pin that also serves as the official Regatta events entry pass. The design also is highlighted on the Regatta parade float that is used to promote the event in Astoria and throughout the Pacific Northwest.

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Twilight Boat Parade



The 1998 Regatta Twilight Boat Parade, sponsored by Englund Marine, will be held Saturday, August

8th along the Astoria Water Front. The parade begins at 7:00 p.m. and is led by the Astoria Fire Boat, the Harry S. Steinbock, followed by the MV Shamrock which carries the Regatta Royalty.

All vessels are invited to participate and decorations are encouraged. Applications can be picked up at Tiki Charters or Englund Marine. Trophies are awarded for Best of Power, Best of Sail, Best of Classic, Best of Commercial and Queen's Choice. Winners also receive dinner for two, donated by local restaurants. Awards will be presented by the Regatta Court on Sunday at 3:00 p.m. at Regatta Square.

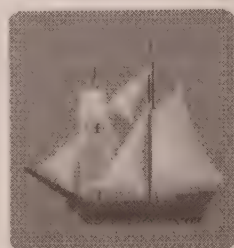
Reviewing areas for the parade

are at Regatta Square and at the 17th St. Pier. An announcer will be at each location to talk about each vessel as it passes in review. The parade is also broadcast live by KVAS Radio, 1230 AM.

For more information call Karen Van Cleave at 325-6612.

Regatta Races

Early Regatta festivals focused on river events. We have again returned to the river as the focus of our activities.



The Astoria Yacht Club is sponsoring a Three Series Regatta Race. The races are sailed under current ISAF Racing Rules of Sail and anyone wishing to race is welcome. Registration can be done in advance by contacting Allen Staley at 325-1925 or at the Astoria Yacht Club tent at the West Basin Astoria on Friday, August 7th. A Captains Meeting is scheduled for 6:00 p.m. on Friday at the Yacht Club tent.

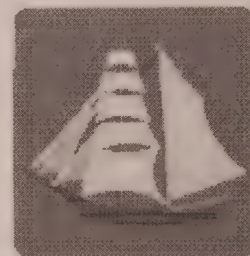
The races are Friday, August 7th at 7:00 p.m., Saturday, August 8th at 2:00 p.m., and Sunday, August 9th at 11:00 a.m. Entry fee is \$30.00 per boat and includes two Regatta buttons, a Regatta t-shirt Friday night hors d'oeuvres after the race and breakfast Sunday morning. Trophies are presented at 3:15 p.m. on Sunday at Regatta Square.

Best viewing for the races are from Regatta Square at the end of the pier.

Coast Guard Ships

Two Coast Guard ships will visit during this years Regatta Festival

The buoy tender Cowslip and the cutter Bluebell will be moored in Astoria during the Regatta Festival this year. In addition, the oil spill clean-up ship, Oregon Responder, and the environmental ship, Captain Connor, will be in port during the Festival.



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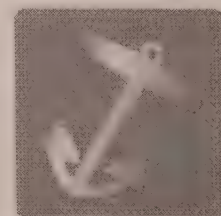
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Ducky Derby takes over Columbia for afternoon

A new Regatta event is the Astoria Yacht Club Ducky Derby held Saturday, August 8th at 4:00 p.m. on the Columbia River. Ducks may be purchased for \$5.00 each from the Astoria Yacht Club tent at the West Basin Astoria during the festival or in advance from the Astoria Yacht Club. 1st place duck wins \$100.00, 2nd place duck wins \$75.00 and 3rd place duck wins \$50.00. Last place or lost duck will also win a special commodore award presented by Astoria Yacht Club Commodore Stuart Sinclair. The race is limited to 100 ducks. Prizes will be presented at the Regatta Square Sunday, August 9th at 3:15 p.m. along with the Astoria Yacht Club Regatta Race Awards. For more information call Karen Van Cleave at 325-6612.



Dragon Boat races a first at Regatta

For the first time, Dragon Boats will race in the Columbia River. Races will take place all day Sunday, August 9, and team awards will be presented at 3:30 Sunday afternoon in Regatta Square. The Dragon Boats are Taiwan type boats with 16 paddlers, a drummer, a captain, and a steersperson. Sponsors of the Dragon Boat races include Birdwell Motors, Lum's Auto Center, Ocean Crest Motors, and the Chinese Community.

Dragon Boats are the most popular early summer activity in the Orient wherever Chinese cultural influence prevails. The Dragon Boat Races evolved from the legend of Chu Yuan's suicide in the Mi Luo River and the search for his body.

Dragon boating was introduced to Portland in 1988 with the first race staged in the summer of 1989. The Portland-Kaohsiung Sister City Association organized and promoted the first race and has continued to lead the way through the Dragon Boat program. Throughout the years, the Dragon Boat races in Portland have become international. In recent years, Portland teams have traveled to New York and British Columbia to compete with other Dragon Boat teams from across the continent.



Above: The nationally ranked Portland team prepares for the race.
Below: Two dragon boats race along neck and neck.
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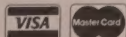
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Kelsey

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as a second language. She has found the reward from this involvement is the smile on a child's face after you have helped them achieve and accomplish a goal. She has also helped with several children's community activities sponsored by the Sunset Empire Parks and Recreation.

Hertig has been employed at Reed & Hertig Packing

Company for three years where she helps put up orders and make deliveries.

"Dancing in the Rose Garden at the Flavel House during the Regatta festivities as a young girl, my fantasy was to someday be a Regatta Princess," says Hertig. "And now that my fantasy has become a reality, what an incredible experience it has been!

"The first night I met Laura, Dayna, and JoLee at Maurice's was only the beginning of fun times and friendships that will continue in my life. The past six months have provided me with memories I will cherish always. Being a part of Regatta has provided me with the opportunity to serve as a role model and included me as part of a very distinguished local tradition.

"I would like to thank the Regatta Association and all those involved for providing me this wonderful experience. Especially to Karen and Helen, Kim and Larry, Dick, Chuck, Irene, all those who faithfully attended the parades, and my family who I know is there to support me through all of my endeavors. I have thoroughly enjoyed the honor of representing the oldest festival in the West, the Astoria Regatta, and my community as a 1998 Regatta Princess."

Hertig plans to attend Pepperdine University or Stanford University where she will pursue her interests in law and television.

Queen Carole bids farewell

It has been almost a full year since I was crowned Regatta Queen, but I remember the day as clearly as yesterday.

I remember the four of us in our matching formals, nervously pacing in the hallway. We kept glancing anxiously at one another, wondering which one of us would become Queen in a very short time.

At the moment, I must admit I was really concentrating on the big crown, but I would soon learn that once I got past that fairy tale evening, there would be great responsibility in store. Great responsibility tempered with great fun.

Over the past two years, I have seen a lot, learned a lot, and eaten a lot. In each and

'It is with sadness that I turn over the crown, but I feel great joy in anticipation of the next lucky Queen.'

— Carole Chase
1997 Regatta Queen

invited to participate in every tradition.

But now as the year draws to a close, I will be left with fantastic memories and a long list of thank-you's.

First and foremost, I would like to thank the Regatta Association for giving me the tremendous honor of being their representative. Along with this, I would also like to thank my family for their support, love and encouragement.

I want to thank my Admiral, Court Chairpersons, chaperones, escorts, and the many others who've tried hard to make me feel like royalty. Over the last two years, they have gone out of their way to make me feel like one of their own, to make me comfortable, and keep me well-dressed.

I am grateful for the relationship I established with my Queen, Audrey Mitchell, and I thank her for her helpfulness and tidbits of information.

I owe a huge debt of gratitude to my 1997 court. We have manifested a lifelong friendship and I thank them for the great times of the past and the great times to come.



Queen Carole Chase

To JoLee, Kelsey, Laura, and Dayna, I wish you the best of luck with your future endeavors. It has been a true pleasure to get to know you this year.

To the 1998 Regatta Queen, whoever she may be, I wish for you a year as terrific as mine was and the safety of knowing that whenever you have a question or a problem, I will be here.

It is with sadness that I turn over the crown, but I feel great joy in anticipation of the next lucky Queen. Thanks again and farewell!

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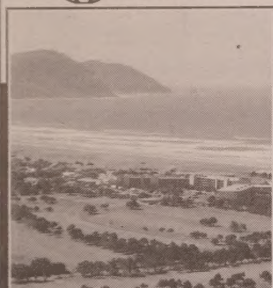
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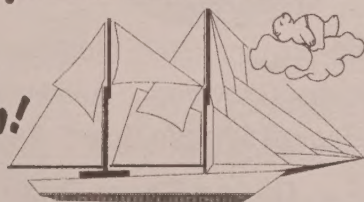


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Schedule of Events

Wednesday to Sunday

9:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Maritime Museum Tours
Columbia River Maritime Museum self-tours, foot of 17th Street. A world-class museum not to be missed. Discount with Regatta Button.

Thursday to Saturday

7:30 p.m. "Shanghaied in Astoria"
Astoria's own standing room only musical melodrama. Astoria Eagles Lodge, 9th & Commercial Street. Call 325-6104 for ticket information.

Wednesday

5th

7:30 p.m. Queen's Coronation & Reception
Astoria Elks Lodge Ballroom, 453 11th Street. Queen's Coronation is sponsored by Western Bank.

Admission: Regatta Button.
Queen's Reception immediately following in the Astoria Elks Lodge Ballroom.

Thursday

6th

6:30 p.m. Kiwanis Junior Regatta Parade
Kids, clowns and chaos get together downtown for a children's parade. Starts and ends at the U.S. Bank, 987 Duane Street.

7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. Admiral's Reception
Meet the 1998 Regatta Admiral, Thane Tienson, at the Heritage Museum, at the foot of 16th Street. Sponsors: Walluski Western, Clatsop Distributing, Caldwell's Luce-Layton Mortuary, Nygaard Logging.

Friday

7th

11:00 a.m. on Scenic Astoria Water Front Boat Tours

Departing at 11:00, 1:00 & 3:00 from the Astoria West Basin. Call Tiki Charters 325-7818.

ALL DAY Regatta Softball Tournament
A long time favorite, call Kip at 325-5931 for more information.

10:00 a.m. to Dusk Aeroquest Helicopter Rides
Port of Astoria, Pier 2.

10:00 a.m. to Midnight Carnival - Randy's Funland
Port of Astoria, Pier 2

11:45 a.m. Regatta Admiral's and Queen's Luncheon

Chinook Room, Astoria Red Lion.
Reservations needed - call 325-5139.

Friday (cont.)

7th

1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. Ship Tours
A time honored tradition of visiting ships. Port of Astoria, Pier 2.

2:30 p.m. Rose Planting Ceremony
A special tradition with entertainment and refreshments at the Flavel House, 8th and Duane Streets. Sponsored by Wells Fargo Bank. Free to the public.

4:00 p.m. Regatta Square Opens
Arts and Crafts, Food Booths, Beer Garden, Entertainment, Carnival (Randy's Funland), Aeroquest Helicopter Scenic Rides and more! There's something for everyone! Don't miss it! Port of Astoria, Pier 2. Admission: Regatta Button. Kids under 12 years free.

5:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. Music - "Oregon Bound" Regatta Square, Pier 2.

6:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. Admiral's Formal Ball
Call 325-5139 for reservations.

7:00 p.m. Astoria Yacht Club Regatta Races
Don't miss the excitement on the Columbia River! Watch for the Fireboat "Harry Steinbock" and the Flyover by the U.S.C.G. Air Station, Group Astoria to start the sailboat races. Columbia River, Pier 2.

9:00 p.m. to 1:00 a.m. Music - "Thunder Road"
Dance in the Beer Garden, Regatta Square, Pier 2.

9:00 p.m. to 1:00 a.m. Pirate's Den
Have some food and fun! Regatta Square, Port of Astoria, Pier 2.

Saturday

8th

11:00 a.m. on Scenic Astoria Water Front Boat Tours

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10:00 a.m. to Dusk Aeroquest Helicopter Rides
Port of Astoria, Pier 2.

12 Noon The Grand Land Parade
Downtown Astoria traveling to the Port Docks. Sponsored by Bank of America. The largest

Saturday (cont.)

8th

parade on the North Coast! Featuring floats, drill teams, clowns, bands and much more!

12:00 Noon to 1:00 a.m. Carnival - Randy's Funland

Port of Astoria, Pier 2.

12:00 p.m. to 1:30 p.m. Music - "Chuck & Theda"

Regatta Square, Pier 2.

1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. Ship Tours
A time-honored tradition of visiting ships. Port of Astoria, Pier 2.

1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. Historic Home Tours
Admission \$7.50 per person (children accompanied by an adult are free). Tickets available at the Heritage Center Museum (16th and Exchange), Flavel House (8th and Duane) or the Uppertown Firefighters Museum (2968 Marine Drive).

1:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. Music - "Get A Life"
Regatta Square, Pier 2. Sponsored by The Daily Astorian

2:00 p.m. Astoria Yacht Club Regatta Races
Sailboat races on the Columbia River by Pier 2.

2:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. Classic Car Show
Regatta Square, Pier 2. Entertainment by "Have Music Will Travel."

3:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. Salmon Barbecue
Regatta Square, Port of Astoria, Pier 2.

3:30 to 6:30 p.m. Music - "Brownsmead Flats"

4:00 p.m. Astoria Yacht Club Ducky Derby
Columbia River.

6:00 p.m. Classic Car Awards
Regatta Square, Port of Astoria, Pier 2.

TBA Julie Spath, Comedian
7:00 p.m. Twilight Boat Parade

Start at Columbia Maritime Museum, traveling to Pier 2. The parade will be led by the Fireboat "Harry Steinbock." Sponsored by Englund Marine Supply.

7:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m. Music - "Thunder Road"
Dance in the Beer Garden, Regatta Square, Pier 2.

9:00 p.m. to 1:00 a.m. Pirate's Den
Have some food and fun! Regatta Square, Port of Astoria, Pier 2.

10:00 p.m. Fireworks over the Columbia
A truly spectacular display for the whole family to enjoy.

Port of Astoria, Pier 2.

10:30 p.m. to 1:00 a.m. Music - "Bond Street Blues"

Featuring Marggie Kitson. Regatta Square, Pier 2.

Sunday

8th

ALL DAY Dragon Boat Races
Regatta Square on the Columbia River. Sponsored by Birdwell Ford, Lum's Auto Center and Ocean Crest Chevrolet.

ALL DAY Regatta Softball Tournament
A long time favorite, call Kip at 325-5931 for more information.

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12:00 Noon to 2:00 p.m. Music - "Sonja & Kelly"

1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. Bingo
Regatta Square, Pier 2.

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2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. Music - "North Coast Big Band"

Regatta Square, Pier 2.

3:00 p.m. Twilight Boat Parade Awards
Regatta Square, Pier 2.

3:15 p.m. Astoria Yacht Club Regatta Races
Awards

Sailboat Awards at Regatta Square, Pier 2.

3:30 p.m. Dragon Boat Race Awards
Regatta Square, Pier 2.

See You There!



This year's float, which depicts the Regatta theme of "Water Fantasy," was constructed by Chuck Godwin, who has been our float builder for over five years. Chuck, his wife Fran, and Regatta volunteers devote hours to designing and building the float, then taking it to various parades throughout the Pacific Northwest. This year, our float entertained parade-goers in Tacoma, Puyallup, Olympia, Portland, Tillamook, Long Beach, Warrenton and Seaside.

The princesses (from left to right) are JoLee Sturgell, Laura Johnson, Kelsey Hertig, and Dayna Plummer with Queen Carole Chase in back.

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